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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENTAssistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified application, please amend the above-mentioned application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 1, line 8, after "1998" please insert --which claims benefit of priority based on Japanese Application Nos. Hei. 9-99454, filed March 12, 1998 and Hei. 10-61020, filed March 20, 1998--.

Page 4, line 11, delete "Fig. 1 is a block diagram" and insert --Figs. 1(a) and 1(b) are block diagrams--;

line 14, delete "Fig. 3 is a view" and insert --Figs. 3(a) and 3(b) are views--;

line 16, delete "Fig. 4 is a view" and insert --Figs. 4(a) and 4(b) are views--;

line 18, delete "Fig. 5 is a view" and insert --Figs. 5(a)-5(c) are views--;

line 20, delete "Fig. 6 is a view" and insert --Figs. 6(a) and 6(b) are views-- and

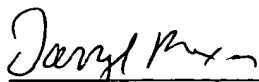
line 24, delete "Fig. 8 is a view" and insert --Figs. 8(a)-8(c) are views--.

Page 5, line 2, delete "Fig. 10 is a view" and insert --Figs. 10(a)-10(c) are views--.

REMARKS

The above amendments are made to correct the designation of the Figures in the brief description of the drawings so that the brief description conforms correctly to the drawings. Applicants submit no questions of new matter should arise and entry is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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